

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**  
**ABSTRACT**

Public Services – PR&RD - Allegations of irregularities in execution of "Providing drinking water to 16 habitations in Chinnaganjam, Karamchedu, and Parchur Mandals of Prakasam District from Kommamuru Canal" taken up by the RWS&S Department – Sri G. Maheswara Rao, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Ongole now Deputy Executive Engineer (FAC), RWS&S, Kandukur - Disciplinary proceedings under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Additional article of charges – Issued.

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PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.IA) DEPARTMENT

**G.O.Rt.No. 1011 .**

**Dated: 22.06.2013**  
**Read the following:-**

1. G.O.Rt.No.174 , PR&RD (Vig.IA) Department, Dated:31.01.2012.
2. From the G.A. (V&E) Dept., Vigilance Report No.72 (353/V&E/E2/2011) dt. 28.09.2012.

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**ORDER:**

It has been brought to the notice of the Government that certain irregularities were taken place in execution of "Providing drinking water to 16 habitations in Chinnaganjam, Karamchedu, and Parchur Mandals of Prakasam District from Kommamuru Canal" taken up by the RWS&S Department.

2. After examining the matter and in continuation of the charges framed in the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above, Government have decided to frame additional charges against Sri G. Maheswara Rao, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Ongole now Deputy Executive Engineer (FAC), RWS&S, Kandukur.

3. Accordingly, in continuation of the charges framed in the reference 1<sup>st</sup> cited, it is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri G. Maheswara Rao, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Ongole now Deputy Executive Engineer (FAC), RWS&S, Kandukur, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991.

4. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of article of charge (Annexure-I). A list of documents by which and a list of witnesses by whom, the article of charge are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure-II and III).

5. Sri G. Maheswara Rao, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Ongole now Deputy Executive Engineer (FAC), RWS&S, Kandukur, is directed to submit within (10) days of the receipt of this order, a written statement of his defence.

6. Sri G. Maheswara Rao, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Ongole now Deputy Executive Engineer (FAC), RWS&S, Kandukur, is informed that an enquiry will be held only in respect of those article of charge as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

7. Sri G. Maheswara Rao, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Ongole now Deputy Executive Engineer (FAC), RWS&S, Kandukur, is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the period specified in Para 5 above or otherwise fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 or the orders / directions issued in pursuance of the said rules, the Inquiring Authority may hold the inquiry against him ex-parte.

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8. Sri G. Maheswara Rao, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Ongole now Deputy Executive Engineer (FAC), RWS&S, Kandukur, is invited to Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings, it will be presumed that Sri G. Maheswara Rao, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Ongole now Deputy Executive Engineer (FAC), RWS&S, Kandukur, is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule-24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

9. The receipt of this order shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

VIKAS RAJ  
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (RWS&S)

To

Sri G. Maheswara Rao, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Ongole now Deputy Executive Engineer (FAC), RWS&S, Kandukur through the Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S Department, Hyderabad.

The Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S Department, Hyderabad.

(in duplicate with a request to serve and return the dated acknowledgement copy)

Copy to:

The PR&RD (Estt.III) Department.

The G.A. (V&E) Department (w.r.t. Vigilance Report No.72 (353/V&E/E2/2011),  
dt.28.09.2012

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## **ANNEXURE-I**

(Annexure to G.O.Rt.No. 1011 PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 22.06.2013)

### **STATEMENT OF ARTICLE OF CHARGES AGAINST SRI G. MAHESWARA RAO, THE THEN ASSISTANT EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, RWS&S, ONGOLE NOW DEPUTY EXECUTIVE ENGINEER (FAC), RWS&S, KANDUKUR.**

#### **CHARGE:**

That Sri G. Maheswara Rao, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Martur, Prakasam District, has recorded the check measurement and recommended for inferior quality of HDPE pipes and recommended for final bill without ensuring the proper functioning of the scheme with the active connivance with the Contractor. Thus he failed to discharge his legitimate duties.

#### **Basis:**

As per the V&E Report No.72 (353/V&E/E2/2011), dt. 28.09.2012, Sri G. Maheswara Rao, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, RWS&S has recorded and recommended for inferior quality of HDPE pipes. He has executed substandard quality of work like not providing thrust blocks, improper gradient and alignment, laying pipes in haphazard manner which resulted in frequent breakage of pipes. He has also recommended for payment of final bill without ensuring proper functioning of the scheme with the active connivance with the executive agency. He has to protect the interest of the Department. Due to his inaction in execution, scheme became defunct and thereby the expenditure was wasteful. From this, it is evident that he has shown gross negligence towards his legitimate duties and failed in supervision which is in violation of Rule (3) of A.P. Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

Hence, the charge.

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**ANNEXURE-II**

(Annexure to G.O.Rt.No. 1011 , PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 22.06.2013)

**LIST OF DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED AGAINST SRI G. MAHESWARA RAO, THE THEN ASSISTANT EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, RWS&S, ONGOLE NOW DEPUTY EXECUTIVE ENGINEER (FAC), RWS&S, KANDUKUR.**

Vigilance Report No.72 (353/V&E/E2/2011), dt. 28.09.2012 of General Administration (V&E) Department.

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**ANNEXURE-III**

(Annexure to G.O.Rt.No. 1011 , PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 22.06.2013)

**LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHOM THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES ARE PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED AGAINST SRI G. MAHESWARA RAO, THE THEN ASSISTANT EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, RWS&S, ONGOLE NOW DEPUTY EXECUTIVE ENGINEER (FAC), RWS&S, KANDUKUR.**

- NIL -

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